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CZAR GIVES AWAY PART OF FORTUNE

The War in the Far East Must Go On.

The Baltic Fleet Still Sailing—Brutal Deed of A Russian General.

DECORATIONS FOR HEROES

FIGHTING AT NEW CHWANG.
Tokio, Jan. 13.—The following has been received from Field Marshal Oyama's headquarters at Liao Yang: "Wednesday afternoon two thousand Russian Cavalry with guns attacked New Chwang. The Japanese were forced to retire temporarily, but rein forced they attacked the Russians, and are still pursuing them. The Russians also attacked Niuchiatun, but were repulsed."

Czar Gives Away Fortune.
London, Jan. 13.—The Exchange Telegraph has a dispatch from Copenhagen which quotes a telegram from St. Petersburg asserting that Czar Nicholas has contributed a hundred million roubles from his private almost unprecedented cruelty on the third Russian squadron, and fifty million roubles for the equipment of the fourth.

The War Must Go On.
St. Petersburg, Jan. 13.—The government seemingly is about to make an irrevocable decision that prestige abroad and the situation at home necessitates a continuation of the war till peace with dignity is possible. Beyond this point, however, confusion exists, especially regarding immediate development of the interior situation.

The emperor is still apparently vacillating as to whether he shall allow M. Witte full sway, in the meantime declining to permit Mirsky to retire. The latter persists in the view that the confidence of the people in the manner in which the reform manifesto is to be worked out is vital, and that this is impossible if the work is to be left completely in the hands of the bureaucrats. Direct consultation with the representative classes interested he considers essential.

Captured British Steamer.
Tokio, Jan. 13.—The Japanese cruiser Tokiwa Wednesday captured in the Sea of Japan the British steamer Roseley, from Barry to Shanghai, loaded with coal consigned to Vladivostok.

To Strengthen Fleet.
Liverpool, Jan. 13.—A dispatch from Tokio says that the Japanese government intends to shortly strengthen its fleet by at least six battleships and first-class cruisers.

Second Division Sails.
Suez, Jan. 13.—The second division of the Russian Baltic fleet, under Admiral Botrovsky, which arrived yesterday, sailed south today and has probably gone to join the remainder of the fleet.

China to Build a Navy.
Liverpool, Jan. 13.—The Post hears that China is arranging, after the Russo-Japanese war to order the construction of a powerful fleet. Sir Robert Hart, director-general of the Chinese customs, has been ordered to husband the resources of the country so as to allow a large sum to be spent in this direction, making China a maritime power. It is stated that China aims to have twenty battleships and first-class cruisers.

Try to Cut Railway.
General Okus Headquarters in the Field, via Fusan, Jan. 13.—A small party of Russian cavalry near Hay-cheng, attempted to cut the railway, but were driven back by Japanese. No details have been received. It is the first time the Russians have attempted to use cavalry along the line of communications.

An Inhuman Russian.
St. Petersburg, Jan. 13.—News of Almost unprecedented cruelty on the part of a Russian general has reached official circles. While a review of troops was in progress at Fiedosia, onlookers crowded in, hampering the drill. General Tschetyrkin, who was reviewing the troops, became enraged.

EXTREME PENALTY PAID BY J. W. BESS

Hanged in the Jail Yard at Lexington Today.

Strangled Mrs. Martha Martin to Death and Threw Her Body Into a Pond.

TWICE CONDEMNED TO DIE

Lexington, Ky., Jan. 13.—James W. Bess, was hanged in the jail yard here this morning for the murder of Mrs. Martha Martin.

A large crowd witnessed the execution. Bess made a speech to bid all good-bye and died gamely.

He confessed to the death watch last night that he had intended to commit suicide with a knife blade which he had in his mouth, but decided not to do so.

Bess, who was once a prominent and popular contractor, was hanged for the murder of Mrs. Martha Martin, March 6, 1903. The crime was one of the most desperate in the recollection of the Lexington police.

Bess attempted to cover his tracks by sinking the body of the woman in a pond, and making away with her effects, so that should she be missed persons acquainted with her would think she had merely left the city.

Mrs. Martin had come into possession of about \$5,000. Bess had neglected his business, and was in need of money. He had borrowed from Mrs. Martin until she refused to advance him more. On the night of the murder Bess hired a buggy, and took the woman out driving, making it a point to go to several places where they would be seen and recognized.

He then took her to his room, where he strangled her to death.

Bess had left the buggy hitched to a post at the side entrance to the place, and after killing the woman he wrapped the body in bedquills, carried it down the steps, through an alley, and dumped the lifeless form into the buggy. He then drove to the pond, and threw the body in the water. Bess busied himself the next day in disposing of and hiding the effects of the woman. It was three days later when the body was discovered in the pond, and fished out. The fact that one stocking was pulled down, and that the throat showed signs of choking, led the police to believe that a murder had been committed, and that robbery had been the motive.

Bess told such a straight story and building for himself such a complete alibi, that he was temporarily released. The grand jury returned an indictment and he was given a death sentence on April 1. His case was appealed, and the court of appeals reversed. He was again convicted, and was to have been hanged last May, and again the case was appealed. This time the sentence was affirmed, and Governor Beckham refused to commute it.

Bess has always stoutly maintained that he was innocent of the crime. He was born in Mason county, was 48 years old, and the father of five children. His eldest daughter was 15 on the day of his execution.

YOUNG MAN'S BODY FOUND IN WOODS

Jesse Green Killed by a Falling Tree in Ballard County.

His Foot Slipped As He Attempted to Get From Under the Heavy Weight.

A WELL-KNOWN YOUNG MAN.

The crushed and mangled body of Jesse Green, a well-known young man of Oscar, Ballard county, 18 miles from Paducah, was found about sunset yesterday by friends two miles from Oscar, under a big tree the unfortunate young man had chopped down. They had missed him when he failed to return home, and started out to search for him.

It seems the young man started out to hunt, and treed a 'coon. He chopped down the tree, which, as it fell, caught in a sapling. He then chopped at the sapling, and as shown plainly by the evidences on the ground, as the sapling was cut and the weight of the tree crushed it, he attempted to escape but his feet slipped and he fell.

The tree fell across him and must have crushed his life out instantly. He had been dead some time when found, and it was impossible to determine whether death was instantaneous or he lay there for hours pinned down by the huge limb while life slowly ebbed away.

The deceased was about 24 years old, and was married about two months ago to Miss Jessie Thomas, who is prostrated by the tragic death of her young husband.

The inquest resulted in a verdict of accidental death, and the funeral took place this morning.

DEMOCRATS FIRED

GIVEN A DOSE OF THEIR OWN MEDICINE.

Unseated in the Colorado Legislature and May Appeal to the Supreme Court.

Denver, Colo., Jan. 13.—The senate yesterday by a party vote of 18 to 15 seated James B. Dick in place of Senator Robert M. Born. Dick was unseated by the democratic majority during the contest over the election of the United States senator two years ago.

Senator Born refused to give up his seat and was forcibly ejected by the sergeant-at-arms.

Senator Daniel Healy, who was seated two years ago in place of Jesse F. McDonald, now lieutenant governor, was also expelled by a vote of 18 to 15. Senator Horace T. De Long a republican, protested against the action as unconstitutional. Democrats allege that two-thirds vote is necessary to expel members and may apply to the supreme court for redress.

In a statement on the floor of the senate, Senator Healy declared an attempt had been made to bribe him. He said that on Saturday, during a joint session, he was called into a private room and told if he would vote for the confirmation of Judge Goddard, he need have no fear of being unseated. The senate membership is now 20 republicans, 13 democrats, with two vacancies.

MUCH DAMAGE

Done By the Cold in the West Last Week.

Topeka, Kas., Jan. 13.—From western Kansas ranges come reports of heavy losses of stock as a result of severe cold. Last night the weather was regarded as the coldest of the winter, below zero temperature being recorded in numerous counties.

Merchant Dies.

Chicago, Jan. 13.—William M. Thompson, a commission merchant of South Water street, well known the country over by produce merchants, was found dead last night in his place of business by an employee. Death was caused by heart disease.

RISKS CANCELLED BECAUSE OF WIRING

Expert Inspector Taking a Look Through.

Says the Electrical Wiring in Paducah Is the Worst Wiring He Ever Saw

WANTS A WIRE INSPECTOR

Mr. C. C. Taylor, of Chicago, an electrical expert and special agent for the Hartford Fire Insurance Co., of Connecticut, is in the city looking after the electric wiring, and says he finds it nearly criminally defective.

"I have never been in a city where the wiring is so bad as it is here," he declared, "and when I approached an electrician, who does work here, he informed me that the wiring I wanted done on my risks was impossible in the time I gave him, and I have had to cancel many risks where the wiring is defective. I made a careful inspection of the wiring in the buildings and on the street and I declare it is so bad that unless repaired my company will carry no risks here whatever."

Mr. Taylor wanted all the wiring done over where he considered it defective, on the risks held by his companies.

"The situation is really bad," he continued. "On your streets I find street light wires, telephone and telegraph and sometimes city fire alarm wires all on the same pole which is about as dangerous as you could wire a town. I have drawn up an ordinance which I presented to the mayor with the request that he place it before the boards, with the view of relieving the situation. The ordinance provides for the office of wire inspector, an officer employed by the city with police powers. This is the only way that you will ever get your wiring done right. I have the assurance of the mayor that he will do all he can to have the ordinance passed. It is not for the benefit of the insurance companies alone, but for the benefit of the public at large, because if the wiring is not better, my company will not be alone in cancelling, for other companies will follow."

Mr. Taylor is not the only insurance special agent here today. Messrs. T. H. Smith, of Chicago, and J. P. Young, of Louisville, of the New York Underwriters, being here also to settle the Sowell mill fire. They are connected with fire insurance companies and are also looking over the situation.

It is a fact that the wiring in Paducah is generally bad—this being borne out by the reports of Inspector Gano of the Kentucky and Tennessee board of underwriters, who found wiring very bad and issued over a hundred notices for improvements in it. Mr. Gano's work was in buildings principally, but Mr. Taylor says that not only the buildings but the streets as well are badly wired.

WESTERN LEAGUE

Elects Officers and Cuts Out Lincoln and Pueblo.

Omaha, Neb., Jan. 13.—The Western Baseball league elected Norris O'Neill of San Francisco, president; C. H. Myrick, of Des Moines, vice president; George Tebeau, of Denver, W. A. Rourke, of Omaha, Joseph Cantillon, of Des Moines, directors.

The two non-playing clubs—Lincoln and Pueblo—were dropped, making the organization a regular six club league, composed of Omaha, St. Joseph, Des Moines, Sioux City, Denver and Colorado Springs.

TRIBES AT WAR.

The First Fighting Has Already Begun.

Calcutta, Jan. 13.—The Nawagal and Dir tribes have declared war against each other and fighting has begun. The Nawagals won the first engagement and captured the Dir Fort.

Charleston, Ill.—Fire and water damaged the Trower block and the furniture and undertaking business of H. E. Bradley, causing a loss of \$10,000; insurance, \$8,000.

SECRETARY MORTON DETAILS HIS VIEWS

Thinks Federal Control of Railroads is Necessary.

Government Ownership of Railways, However, Would Be Fatal to the Industry.

MUST BE WISELY REGULATED.

Washington, Jan. 13.—Secretary of the Navy Morton, formerly vice-president of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe railroad company, is the author of an article on the railway rebate question in the Outlook. He in the outset expressly disclaims writing as the representative of President Roosevelt's administration, and says he speaks merely as one with somewhat extensive experience pertinent to an important subject. The secretary, in the article, says there are very few complaints against railroad rates per se in the United States, the chief trouble being with "the relation of rates as between markets."

He says there are as many rates that are too low as there are rates which a court would decide too high and that either class may be equally disastrous to communities. He expressed the opinion that federal supervision of railroads is necessary but adds that regulation and protection should go together.

He says that one of the three things following is sure to take place in the conduct of our railways.

Legalization of pools; unification of ownership, thereby delivering in time the entire railway ownership of the country into the hands of a few individuals or one syndicate; or government ownership.

In Mr. Morton's opinion government ownership would be the beginning of industrial and political chaos. He favors a continuance of the interstate commerce commission in substantially its present form.

He would have all transportation by rail considered interstate commerce and subject only to federal control.

"I would favor," he says, "the agitation and shaping of public opinion that would not tolerate such a thing as a preferential rate, and would make it equally disagreeable to grant or receive it. The president's message on this subject meets the views of all good citizens, whether engaged in railroading or shipping."

KILLED TWO.

Rapson Said Son and Daughter-in-Law Intended to Desert Him.

Joliet, Ill., Jan. 13.—William Rapson, a tenant on the farm of H. N. Higginbotham, called his son Herbert aged thirty, into the barn and shot him dead before he could raise a hand in his own defense. Then he called his son's wife. As she entered, ignorant of what had occurred, she too was shot down, dying immediately.

Then Rapson summoned Lewis Croughbar, a neighbor, and pointed to the two bodies and said he had killed them because they intended deserting him in his old age.

KILLED WIFE.

Anton Walker, Mobile and Ohio Switchman, Commits Bloody Deed at Carbondale.

Carbondale, Ill., Jan. 13.—Anton Walker, for twenty years a switchman on the Mobile and Ohio railroad, shot and fatally injured his wife and then committed suicide. Walker was jealous, it is alleged, over the attention to his wife by a former Baptist preacher. Walker, it is said, had long planned the deed, having arranged all his financial affairs and having his insurance policies changed to be payable to his children.

PAINFUL MISHAP.

Dr. LaRue Injured in Livingston County by a Fall.

Smithland, Ky., Jan. 13.—As the result of a fall, Dr. Fred G. LaRue, county physician of Livingston county, and one of the most prominent men in this section of the state, was severely injured. His left arm and shoulder were fractured and he received internal injuries.

MR. H. C. ALLISON - FINALLY SUCCUMBS

Prominent Citizen Dies at 9:10 This Morning.

Was a Tobaccoist of Popularity—Mrs. Wilson Thompson Dies in Houston, Texas.

MRS. ALICE MARQUESS DEAD.

Mr. Henry Clay Allison, the tobaccoist, suffered a relapse last night and died at 9:10 o'clock this morning at his home, 829 Broadway from complications following erysipelas, after a 13-days illness. The news of his death was a shock to his many friends, because he had been improving after a severe siege, and was much better up to last night.

After the turn for the worse, dissolution was rapid, and Mr. Allison had breathed his last before many friends knew that he was anything except improving and soon to be out again.

In the death of Mr. Allison a popular man is lost. He was in his fifty-seventh year, and was born at Pryorsburg, Graves county. He grew to manhood in Graves county, and for eight years was in the tobacco business in Mayfield, coming to Paducah to locate twelve years ago. He was first president of the Western District Warehouse here and for many years prospered in his business. Three years ago he was buyer for the Italian government in this section, and a short time ago again secured the contract for another three years.

Mr. Allison was first married to a Miss Pryor, who died ten years ago. He leaves to mourn his loss a wife and three children, Mrs. Horace Man-kin, of Grahamville, by his first wife, and two little sons, aged 4 years and 19 months respectively, by his last. His widow was Miss Mary Emma Williams, of Paducah.

He also leaves an aged father, Mr. John W. Allison, in Graves county, who is very feeble and not long ago fell into the fire and was severely burned on the head.

He leaves a brother, Mr. Neal Allison, postmaster at Pryorsburg.

Mr. Allison was a man who stood high among countless friends, both in his business and social relations. He was honest, honorable and friendly, and had friends all over this part of Kentucky. Three years ago he was the republican nominee for mayor of Paducah, and made a good race. He has been prominent in all movements to better the condition of his home town, and his handsome residence on Broadway fully carried out his idea of beauty, comfort and utility.

Mr. Allison was once a wealthy man, but how large an estate he leaves is not known at present.

His brother arrived on the noon train from Pryorsburg to attend the funeral.

No funeral arrangements have yet been made, but it is thought the funeral will take place Sunday in the city, with burial at Oak Grove. Definite announcement will be made later.

Mrs. Wilson Thompson.

News of the death in Houston, Texas, last night, of Mrs. Wilson Thompson, one of Paducah's best known women, was received today by her son, Mr. James W. Thompson, of Paducah. Mrs. Thompson was one of the few remaining pioneer settlers of Paducah, and had lived here since 1833.

She left a few months ago for Houston to reside with her daughter, Mrs. Bertie Wilbur, and died of general debility.

The deceased was born in North Carolina and was 86 years old. She came to Paducah in 1833, and was wife of Mr. Wilson Thompson, one of the first settlers, and at one time quite a wealthy man. For many years he was a pillar in the First Baptist church, and during Forrest's raid he lost most of his property.

Out of a large family of children, only three are alive: Mr. James W. Thompson, of Paducah; Mrs. Bertie Wilbur, Houston, Texas; and Mrs. W. E. Hendricks, Cairo, Ill. She leaves a number of grandchildren, including Miss Emma Thompson, Paducah, and Lola and Wilson Wilbur, Houston, Texas.

The body will arrive in Paducah Sunday morning at 1:40 and the

SALTY CHARGES MADE BY IRVINE

Declares Court is "Packed" Against Him.

Says a Trial Under the Circumstances Would Be a Mere "Fiasco."

TRIED TO PREVENT A SCANDAL

Philadelphia, Pa., Jan. 13.—The board of inquiry appointed to consider the Talbot-Irvine controversy, which failed to take action on Tuesday because of a lack of a quorum, met again today at Reading, Pa. Dr. Irvine last night gave to the press a copy of a letter which he has sent to the board of inquiry. In it he says he is willing to waive the canonical restriction and have the proceedings open to the public. He intimates that three members are "committed to the fact of upholding Bishop Talbot, whatever the evidence may be."

"The gentlemen to whom I refer," says Irvine, "are Rev. Doctors Jones and Israel, and James M. Lambertson."

"Rev. Dr. Jones was a member of the standing committee of central Pennsylvania to whom Bishop Talbot brought false charges concocted the bishop and Mrs. Emma D. Elliott and his vote advised the bishop to proceed against me."

"Rev. Dr. Israel was one of three gentlemen appointed by Bishop Talbot to act for him as a committee of inquiry to receive both his and Mrs. Elliott's false charges. It was this same Dr. Israel who signed the defective presentment against me, and, finally, when he had failed to grind out witnesses to sustain all of his specifications in the ecclesiastical court, transgressed all precedent by going on the witness stand to give evidence against me, suppressing even points in my favor, so anxious did he seem to be that I might be convicted."

"James M. Lambertson served on the committee which, while not having given me an opportunity to present one particle of evidence, signed a report declaring the sentence of deposition delivered against me by Bishop Talbot was just."

"All this being so, may not the church world expect a similar fiasco to that of the one in Harrisburg when the faithful friends of Bishop Talbot of a like interesting history, perpetuated the scandal by voting against his being present?"

Irvine further says: "I have done everything an innocent mortal soul could do to save both Bishop Talbot, the diocese, and the church at large from scandal, but from first to last he has ignored all entreaties and reason in order to fulfill his promise to Mrs. Elliott to unfrock me for her."

FREIGHT TRAINS.

Collide at Guthrie, Ky., This Morning—Property Loss Heavy.

Elkton, Ky., Jan. 13.—Two L. & N. freight trains collided at Guthrie this morning. The property loss is heavy. Richard Graves, of Bowling Green, was injured.

Sir Thomas' Loss.

Glasgow, Jan. 13.—Fire which started in Sir Thomas Lipton's provision store this morning did fifteen thousand dollars worth of damage.

burial will take place in the afternoon from the First Baptist church, of which she was a member, Rev. G. W. Perryman officiating.

Mrs. Alice Marquess.

Mrs. Alice W. Marquess, wife of Mr. C. N. Marquess, of 1034 Harrison street, died this morning at 4 o'clock of consumption, after an illness of many months.

She was born in Caldwell county and was 32 years of age. She leaves a husband and three sons, and the remains will be taken to Quidwell county tomorrow for interment.

Death of a Child.

Mary Babb, the three-year-old daughter of Mr. Crawford Babb, of the Mayfield road, died this morning of pneumonia and will be buried tomorrow morning at the Weitlauf graveyard on the Mayfield road.

Great January Clearance Sale

Of Ladies' and Children's Muslin Underwear, Flannellette Underwear for Men, Women and Children.

Perfect fitting Corset Covers, lace or embroidery trimmed
Perfect fitting Muslin Drawers, some embroidery trimmed
Muslin and Flannellette Short Petticoats for ladies

25c
25c
25c

1,500 Samples of high
class Muslin
Underwear,
Lace and Embroidery
Trimmed
Corset Covers, Gowns
Petticoats, Chemise
and Drawers at
Manufacturer's Prices



Great January Clearance Sale of Ladies' Fine Furs, Custom Made Tailor Suits and Cravenette Rain Coats.

Our entire line of Ladies' Custom Made Tailor Suits at half price.
Our entire line of Ladies' Furs at half price.
\$18.50 finest quality Cravenette Rain Coats while they last.
Children's fine Kersey Long Coats at half price
Great January Clearing Sale of Ladies' Waists.

Ladies fine Wash Waists, fine Woolen and Mohair Waists, Wash Silk Waists and Taffeta Silk Waists at greatly reduced prices.
\$3.50 Mohair Waists for \$1.98
\$5.00 Plain Silk Waists for \$2.98

Fine heavy Madras Wash Waists at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50
These are a New York sample line of fine Waists. No two alike.

Fine Line of Taffeta and Peau de Soie Silk Skirts.

Just received a sample line of fine Taffeta and Peau de Soie Silk Skirts. An opportunity to get a new Spring Skirt at a bargain. The very latest effects for early spring wear.

Fine Hair Goods.

Our complete stock of fine Hair Goods at greatly reduced prices.
\$3.00 Hair Braids go for \$1.00
\$3.00 Hair Braids go for \$1.50
\$5.00 Fine French Hair Braids go for \$2.50
One week only.

THE BAZAAR, 329 BROADWAY

THE COMMITTEES

CHAIRMAN GEO. O. INGRAM, OF THE COUNCIL, NAMES THEM.

Two Democrats and One Republican On Nearly Every One of Them.

President George O. Ingram, of the councilmanic board, has decided not to wait for the "deadlock" in the board of aldermen to be broken, to announce his committees, but will paddle his own canoe.

Councilman Ingram stated several days ago that he did not desire to be partisan, and did not want politics to figure in the board, and that he would be guided by what the presiding officer of the other board did.

The presiding officer of the other board has not been chosen, however, and it is not known what he will do when he is chosen.

The list is:

Finance—George Oehlschlaeger, Joe Riglesberger and John Rehkopf.
Ordinance—John Rehkopf, Louis Kolb and J. P. A. McCarty.
Street—Young Taylor, R. S. Barnett and Louis Kolb.
Light and Water—Joe Riglesberger, Fred Gallman and Young Taylor.

Public Improvement—Edward Gilson, Louis Kolb and George Oehlschlaeger.

Fire and Police—J. P. A. McCarty, John Rehkopf and Louis Dilk.
License—Edward Gilson, Fred Gallman and Louis Dilk.

Hospital, Sewer and Sanitary—R. S. Barnett, George McBroom and Edward Gilson.

Relief—Fred Gallman, Louis Dilk and George Oehlschlaeger.
Cemetery—Joe Riglesberger, Geo. McBroom and Edward Gilson.

Printing—Louis Kolb, George Printing—Louis Dilk, R. S. Barnett and Young Taylor.

Enrollment—Louis Kolb, George McBroom and Joe Riglesberger.
Judiciary—George McBroom, Fred Gallman and John Rehkopf.

ARKANSAS' CLOWN.

Gov. Jeff Davis Gives a Performance in Confederate Uniform.

Little Rock, Ark., Jan. 13.—Governor Jefferson Davis was inaugurated for a third term. The oath of office was administered by Chief Justice Joseph M. Hill. The governor then delivered his lengthy message before the joint session of the general assembly.

The governor wore his full Confederate uniform of gray, which attracted much comment. In his address he launched into a bitter attack on the negro race, declaring that they were not fit to be educated. He advocated the separation of school taxes devoting only the amount paid by the negroes themselves for negro schools. This would close up nine-tenths of the negro schools in the state.

ARBITRATION TREATIES.

Under Consideration By the President and Senator Cullom.

Washington, Jan. 13.—Consideration was given today by President Roosevelt and Senator Cullom of Illinois, chairman of the senate committee on foreign relations, to the arbitration treaties now pending before the senate. At the conclusion of the conference Senator Cullom said he hoped to be able to obtain favorable action on the treaties by the senate and was inclined to the opinion that they would be ratified without serious objection or amendment.

Steamboatmen Protest.

New York, Jan. 13.—A meeting of the executive committee of the national board of steam navigation was held today to approve a communication from the national board to Secretary Metcalf of the department of commerce and labor, protesting against the proposed new rules and regulations of steamboat inspection service and suggesting changes of modification. A committee was also appointed to represent the board at the hearing by Secretary Metcalf in Washington on January 16.

Eye Badly Hurt.

Jeff Tucker, white, an employee of the Kilgore mills, was struck in the right eye yesterday afternoon by a flying knot and the optic badly bruised. He will be disabled for some time. Dr. J. S. Troutman dressed the injury.

Wabash, Ind.—The clothing store of V. V. Swartz at Pierceton was destroyed by fire. Loss, \$6,000; insurance, \$4,000.

SHE'LL NEED AND HE'LL NEED

A good heavy shoe for this cold snap and you can get them at ROCK'S.

Get a pair of our DOROTHY DODD SHOES for the ladies.

A WALK-OVER SHOE for the men is a most satisfactory investment.

Our men's union made \$2.00 WORK SHOES are the best.



Ask to see our misses' DOLLAR SCHOOL SHOE

Ask to see our boys' WATER PROOF SHOE

We carry a full stock of Rubber Boots and Shoes.

Our stock of School Shoes can not be beat for wear and style.

GEO. ROCK

KENTUCKY GIRL

Will Graduate in Medicine in June and Become a Practitioner.

The Princeton Leader says: "Miss Cynthia Cunningham who left Sunday night for Louisville to resume her studies in the Louisville Medical College, is a pioneer girl of Western Kentucky in the study of surgery and medicine, as there are no other young ladies from this section taking a medical course and attending lectures before the Louisville college of medicine and surgery. Miss Cunningham is no rough and masculine-like girl or crank, but is a very delicate young lady in appearance, sprightly and graceful, quiet and unassuming and has many sweet home graces and accomplishments. It is her lofty idea of the use and responsibilities of the noble service and practice that appeals to her most, and the knowledge that she as a woman physician can take so many cases of a trying and delicate nature better than a man. She feels that a woman can attend and minister to her own sex, with all the intuitive knowledge of complicated situations. She will graduate next June and will return to Princeton to practice."

Miss Cunningham has a number of relatives in Paducah.

PA GOT HIM.

Telegraphed to Pittsburg and Had Elopers Arrested.

Pittsburg, Jan. 13.—John Cuneo, a young Yale student, son of a Chicago millionaire, with his bride of less than a day was taken from the New York and Chicago train in Pittsburg and placed in a cell in the police station while his wife was taken to a Pittsburg hotel by the police. Frank Cuneo, the father of the student, wired the Pittsburg police last night to arrest him on reaching Pittsburg; that he had eloped with Miss Florence Hill, daughter of the head of the Hill Publishing company of New York and Chicago.

The bride spent a tearful day in the Duquesne. Cuneo says there is trouble for some one and he will begin with his father, who he says, is only angry because he spent \$250 which he gave him for Yale expenses for a wedding journey.

HOLDS TO OFFICE.

County Treasurer Has to Be Ousted By Supreme Court.

St. Paul, Minn., Jan. 13.—The supreme court has issued a writ oustering from office C. C. Miller, former treasurer of Itasca county, who has insisted on retaining the office despite the fact that the canvassing board had issued a certificate of election to A. A. Kremmer. At the recent election Kremmer, on the face of the returns, had a slight plurality. Miller instituted a contest, which increased Kremmer's vote and a certificate of election was issued to him. Upon Miller's refusing to give up the office quo warranto proceedings were begun and today a writ of ouster was issued.

Pleasant and Most Effective.

T. J. Chambers, Ed. Vindicator, Liberty, Texas, writes Dec. 25, 1902: "With pleasure and unsolicited by you, I bear testimony to the curative power of Ballard's Horehound Syrup. I have used it in my family and can cheerfully affirm it is the most effective and pleasant remedy for coughs and colds I have ever used." 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by DuBois, Kolb & Co.

INTEREST PAID

On time deposits left with the Paducah Banking Company. A safe and profitable way to save your money.

NEWS OF THE RIVERS.

Observations taken at 7 a. m. River 10.5 on the gauge, a rise of 1.3 in the last 24 hours. Weather cloudy and snowing. Temperature 30 with northwest winds. Indications for a heavy snow.

SAUNDERS A. FOWLER, Local Observer.

The Kentucky will go out tomorrow night for Tennessee river.

The Charleston is due in a few days out of Tennessee river.

The Margaret is due tomorrow or Sunday out of Tennessee with ties.

The Charles Hook came from Pittsburg this morning and will tow ties in Cumberland river. She is a stout built boat, and one of the prettiest seen in these waters in some time.

The Russell Lord went into Tennessee river yesterday.

The Victor is due today or tomorrow out of Tennessee river.

The Penguin is doing harbor work looking after the barge of the Flannery line.

The Wilford is due from Cumberland river with ties. She should have been in yesterday.

The Fannie Wallace is doing work at Tradewater mines at Caseyville and may remain there for several weeks longer.

The Dick Fowler cleared on time this morning for Cairo.

The Joe Fowler went to Evansville this morning.

The Duffy is due tomorrow from Tennessee river.

The Pavana is due Sunday from Tennessee river with ties for the Ayer & Lord Co.

The Lyda is due from Tennessee river tomorrow.

The Barret, of the Barret line, is coming up from Cairo tonight to lay up at Duck's Nest for the winter.

The Charles Turner is at Joppa unloading ties.

The Henrietta will go into Tennessee river today.

The Nellie Willet is due from Louisville with barges for the Barrett line.

River men are jubilant over the prospects for a good stage of water as rises are reported in all rivers and the ice has thinned out considerably. There is no ice at all in the Tennessee and Cumberland where most of the tie boats are working and the tie business is affected but little by the ice.

The Little Clyde is here from Green river, preparing to enter the Tennessee river towing trade for Captain Beatty, of Nashville.

The Buckham will return to the upper Ohio today after a tow of corn.

Just as soon as the ice clears out of the Mississippi river the St. Louis and Tennessee river packet line will start the through packets from Tennessee river to St. Louis. There have been no boats now for many months.

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Auditor Kirkland Ill.

Auditor Alex Kirkland is ill and unable to be at his office, his many friends will regret to learn. He was unable to attend the finance committee meeting last night and is developing a case of la grippe.

Guthrie, Okla.—W. N. Robinson, Silas Bralley and John Riley escaped from jail at Hobart and are at large.

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South Bound	121	108	101
Ar. Cincinnati	7:25am	6:00pm	8:00am
Ar. Louisville	7:35am	6:10pm	8:10am
Ar. Evansville	7:45am	6:20pm	8:20am
Ar. Nashville	7:55am	6:30pm	8:30am
Ar. Knoxville	8:05am	6:40pm	8:40am
Ar. Chattanooga	8:15am	6:50pm	8:50am
Ar. Atlanta	8:25am	7:00pm	9:00am
Ar. Jacksonville	8:35am	7:10pm	9:10am
Ar. Savannah	8:45am	7:20pm	9:20am
Ar. New Orleans	8:55am	7:30pm	9:30am
Ar. Mobile	9:05am	7:40pm	9:40am
Ar. Pensacola	9:15am	7:50pm	9:50am
Ar. Tampa	9:25am	8:00pm	10:00am
Ar. St. Petersburg	9:35am	8:10pm	10:10am
Ar. Orlando	9:45am	8:20pm	10:20am
Ar. Miami	9:55am	8:30pm	10:30am
Ar. Key West	10:05am	8:40pm	10:40am

North Bound

Lv. N. Orleans	7:10pm	9:15
Lv. Memphis	8:50am	8:50am
Lv. Fulton	6:00am	10:10am 12:35
Ar. Paducah	7:40am	11:20pm 1:43
Lv. Paducah	7:50am	11:25pm 1:48
Ar. Princeton	9:20am	12:50pm 8:03
Ar. Hopkinsville	8:50pm	9:40am
Ar. Evansville	6:20pm	9:45

CAIRO-HOPKINSVILLE LINE.

Ar. Cincinnati	9:15am	11:58
CAIRO-HOPKINSVILLE LINE.		
North Bound.....	135-835	101-
Lv Hopkinsville.....	6:40 am	11:20
Lv Princeton.....	7:45 am	8:30
Ar Paducah.....	9:25 am	4:15
Lv Paducah.....	9:30 am	7:00

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12.50 Suits and Overcoats	9.38	25.00 Suits and Overcoats	18.75
10.00 Suits and Overcoats	7.50	22.50 Suits and Overcoats	16.88
7.50 Suits and Overcoats	5.63	20.00 Suits and Overcoats	15.00
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FRIDAY, JANUARY 13.

CIRCULATION STATEMENT.

Dec. 1 ..2,939	Dec. 17..2,957
Dec. 2 ..3,000	Dec. 18..2,959
Dec. 3 ..3,004	Dec. 20..2,964
Dec. 5 ..2,956	Dec. 21..2,966
Dec. 6 ..2,949	Dec. 22..2,965
Dec. 7 ..2,921	Dec. 23..2,970
Dec. 8 ..2,921	Dec. 24..2,965
Dec. 9 ..2,927	Dec. 26..2,966
Dec. 10..2,933	Dec. 27..2,971
Dec. 12..2,992	Dec. 28..2,972
Dec. 13..2,934	Dec. 29..2,986
Dec. 14..2,938	Dec. 30..2,996
Dec. 15..2,951	Dec. 31..2,996
Dec. 16..2,952	

Total ..79,950
Average for the month ..2,961Personally appeared before me
this day E. J. Paxton, general manager
of The Sun, who affirms that the
above statement of the circulation of
The Sun for the month of December,
1904, is true to the best of his
knowledge and belief.PETER PURYEAR,
Notary Public.
My commission expires Jan. 22,
1905.

Daily Thought.

"Our biggest, blackest troubles
are often only the locomotive draw-
ing our richest treasure train."

The Weather.

Fair and much colder tonight with
a cold wave. Saturday fair and
colder.

CITY FINANCES.

The paramount question now be-
fore the legislative boards of Paducah
is that of finance. Paducah is
now a second class city, and the
amount of revenue required to run
a second class city is away out of
proportion to the amount of taxes
that can be raised on our total val-
uation and assessment without bur-
dening the people. With property
valued higher than it is, or a great-
er amount of property, Paducah
could get along quite well, but the
truth is, Paducah from a standpoint
of results, at least, is most too large
to be a third class city and too
small to be a second class city.

We are a second class city, how-
ever, and must remain one. The ad-
ditional expenses required to run
the city since the change of class
must be raised in some way, and the
suggestions and statements given
below are from the Lexington Her-
ald to the people of Lexington. Lex-
ington is a second class city, but is
much larger than Paducah, and has
vastly more property on which to
collect taxes. Yet what would be
good for Lexington, especially in the
way of retrenchment, would be good
for Paducah—if we could afford it.
But to the Herald, here is what it
says:

"The annual reports of the vari-
ous city officials for the past year
have been prepared and presented
to the mayor and general council or
will be within the next few days. The
budget for the year will be made up
this month, and the apportionment
completed. It is well for these re-
ports to be given the widest publi-
city, and for the citizens to make
themselves familiar with every de-
partment of the city government.
There is nothing which touches ev-
ery citizen so closely as does the di-
rect taxes levied for the expendi-
tures of the city, county and state.
The people will pay millions in in-
direct taxation, billions in the form
of bounties to monopolies and not
complain as much as they do about
paying thousands in direct taxes.
But the people of Lexington are will-
ing to pay whatever tax is necessary
for the maintenance of the schools,
for an efficient and adequate police
and fire department, for keeping the
streets clean, and for the proper ad-
ministration of the affairs of the
city. . . . The statistics show

that there are in attendance at the
public schools in Lexington this
year from fifteen to twenty per cent
more scholars than there have ever
been before; and yet they show a
most deplorable state of affairs, in
that by the school census that there
are over ten thousand children of
school age in Lexington and there is
a total enrollment of less than forty-
five hundred in the public schools.
* * * We hope that the board of
education will appoint at least two,
and better still three truant officers,
two for white children and one for
negro children.

"The police force has been gradu-
ally increased for the past four or
five years, and yet it is not large
enough, and due to that fact is not
as efficient as it should be. * * *

"As to the streets, it is a problem
what is going to be the outcome of
any given amount appropriated for
the purpose of keeping them clean
and repairing them. It has seemed
practically impossible to keep the
streets in Lexington, or for that mat-
ter, of any other city, clean and in
good repair. One of the main diffi-
culties is that a large number of the
citizens think when they have swept
out their stores or their homes and
put their rubbish in the gutter, they
have performed their full duty in
keeping their own premises clean
and do not realize the crime they
have committed not only against
their neighbors, but against them-
selves in scattering their trash in the
public highway. * * *

"The oiling of the streets has
proved, in some respects, most ben-
eficial. It has done away with the
horrid clouds of dust which ruined
clothes, furniture in the houses, the
goods in the stores, and was the
cause of a great deal of bronchial
and throat trouble; and yet it has
presented problems which require
the careful consideration of those in
whose charge it is. Oil should not be
put on unless the streets are first
well rolled and graded, and then
rolled after it is applied, and a
sprinkling of sand put on before
there is any travel over them. If it
is going to be done again, and there
is no citizen of Lexington who does
not hope and demand that it will be,
it should be done correctly.

"Each block oiled should be
shut off from travel while the oiling
is being done and for at least twenty-
four hours after it is done, and
until that block is rolled and sprink-
led with sand. The result of the
oiling this past year, while benefi-
cial during the summer, has result-
ed in the streets being muddier than
they would have been had they been
cleaned regularly during the sum-
mer. The oil concealed the fact that
there was a large accumulation of
dust on the streets, and now that
the winter has come that dust makes
mud. The streets this past year have
been better than they have been for
a number of years, and yet they have
not been as clean, nor kept in as
good repair as they should be.

"The question of light and water
is one that affects every citizen, and
with the growth of the city, with the
building up of new territory, there
is a constantly increasing demand
for new lights and new fire hydrants
that will call for increased expendi-
tures. We believe it would be well
for the city officials to have all of
the reports showing the expenditure
of money for the past year, publish-
ed, and to outline in full their plans
for the coming year. The way to re-
tain the confidence of the public is
to treat it with entire frankness, and
have every matter, with an account
of the expenditure of every dollar of
the people's money, explained to
them, that they may both see where
their money goes, as well as the
benefit of the expenditure of it."

WANT AN INVESTIGATION.

How different are the Republi-
cans of Missouri from the Demo-
crats! A resolution in the legisla-
ture to investigate the campaign
fund of the Republicans was prompt-

ly carried, and the Republicans not
only are willing, but will insist on
an investigation.

As to the Democrats, the GLOBE-
Democrat says:
"It has been the Democratic leg-
islative policy for many years to
table resolutions calling for investi-
gation. That is not the Republican
way. The Democrats in several suc-
cessive legislatures voted down res-
olutions to examine the state books,
in spite of their claim that they are
in balance, and that the finances of
the state have been well managed.
But, some how, Democratic majori-
ties in the legislature shrank from
investigation in that quarter. How is
it that they did not jump at the op-
portunity if they believed their own
words? Charges of holes in the
books were made specifically, and
yet the Democratic majority voted
down the resolution to have them
examined by an impartial, bipartisan
legislative committee. The Republi-
cans of Missouri welcome investiga-
tion, but the representative Demo-
crats of Missouri dodge it."

Yes, the Louisville Times deserves
most of the credit for the special
session of the legislature, and we
hope, for the sake of this bright and
popular paper, that it will not turn
out to be discredited.

The charter, section 3113, says:
"Said board of education shall de-
termine for itself the qualifications
and election of its members." The
board of education of Paducah has
done this.

BURNING THE VILLAGES!

Fierce Fighting Between the Kabyle
Tribes Near Alcazar.

Tangier, Morocco, Jan. 13.—Fierce
fighting is reported to have occurred
between Kabyle tribes in the neigh-
borhood of Alcazar, from whence
burning villages are visible. Refu-
gees report that many tribesmen
have been killed or wounded. There
are grave fears at Alcazar that the
victors may attempt to sack that
town.

DEADLY CROSSING.

Two Men Struck By a Train and Are
Killed.

Dutton, Ont., Jan. 13.—D. C. Mc-
Arthur and Archibald Carmichael,
while driving over a grade crossing,
were struck by a Michigan Central
train and instantly killed.

13,000 Wounded Men.

Tokio, Jan. 13.—The Japanese
achievement at Port Arthur is more
remarkable in the light of further
investigations. The original Russian
strength is now estimated to have
been almost 50,000 men. It is an-
nounced at the army headquarters
that in addition to the prisoners al-
ready reported about 13,000 wound-
ed combatants will eventually be
brought to Japan. Gen. Nogi's head-
quarters staff at Port Arthur are at
present devoting their energies to
dispatching the prisoners to Japan,
placing the wounded in hospitals
and clearing the way for a thorough
investigation of the spoils of war.
Confused reports reach Tokio of the
condition of the city buildings.

It was said today that Gen. Nogi
will not return to Tokio at present.
Sixteen survivors of the third de-
tachment of Japanese who attempt-
ed to block the entrance of Port Ar-
thur by sinking stone-laden steam-
ers in the channel are expected to
arrive at Sasebo today. The fate of
their 70 companions is unknown.

Will Soon Be Back.

Mrs. G. B. Brantley received a
message from her husband who is in
a hospital at Kansas City, Mo., for
treatment of a cancer, that he was
operated on last week and will be
able to return home in five or six
weeks. Mr. Brantley is an employee of
the I. C. and resides at 1110 Mad-
ison.

May Visit Canada.

Montreal, Jan. 13.—Mayor La-
porte states that he has received
private advices from England that
King Edward and Queen Alexandra
are contemplating a visit to Canada
this year.

National Banks Report On Jan. 11.

Washington, Jan. 13.—The com-
ptroller of the currency this morning
issued a call for reports on the con-
dition of the national banks at the
close of business Wednesday, Jan-
uary 11.

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THE EXPENSES CUT AT CONFERENCE

Retrenchment Decided on by
City Officials.

\$280,000 Spent Last Year—Believed
\$203,000 Will Run the City
This Year.

THE AMOUNTS APPORTIONED

Although the city of Paducah
last year spent \$288,000, about
\$240,000 of which was revenue and
the remainder from the bond fund,
it was decided last night at the con-
ference between four Democratic
and four Republican members of
the general council and the mayor,
that the city can get along this year
on \$203,000. If this is sufficient,
with the revenue to be raised by li-
censes, etc., the city may be able to
get along on a \$1.65 tax rate.

The members holding the confer-
ence were: John Rehkopf, Louis
Kolb, Joe Rigglesberger, Lucien
Durrett, Oscar Starks, Wm. Kraus,
George Oehlschlaeger and E. E.
Bell.

The appropriations were cut down
as much as possible, and the above
total cost of running the city will
preclude the possibility of the board
of works enlarging the light plant,
or making any provision for street
sweeping or sprinkling. The board
asked for \$25,000 for the light
plant, and will get but \$10,000. The
members wanted \$10,000 for run-
ning expenses and \$15,000 for im-
provements.

The following table shows the
amount of money apportioned for
the respective departments, and the
amount appropriated for the same
departments last year. The total ap-
propriation last year amounted to
about \$187,000, but more was col-
lected and spent for many of the
departments.

Department.	1905.
Salaries	\$17,500
Streets	28,000
Police department	26,000
Police department	24,000
Electric plant	25,000
Water	11,500
City hall	1,500
Real estate	2,500
Oak Grove	2,500
Hospital, charity and pauper	6,000
Sanitary and pest house	3,000
General expenses	5,000
Contingent fund	1,515
Suits and costs	5,000
Interest	25,000
Floating debt	13,500
Sinking fund	8,000
Library	5,500
Department.	1904.
Salaries	\$16,500
Streets	22,000

Fire department	17,500
Police department	23,000
Electric plant	11,500
Water	11,000
City hall	1,500
Real estate	2,500
Oak Grove	2,500
Hospital, charity and pauper	6,000
Sanitary and pest house	2,500
General expenses	4,600
Contingent fund	1,500
Suits and costs	1,000
Interest	17,000
Floating debt	9,000
Sinking fund	3,000
Library	3,500

It will be seen that the apportion-
ments for this year are not only in
many instances under what was actu-
ally spent for the same depart-
ments last year, but are less than
the amounts appropriated last year.
It is also observed that \$5,000 is
set aside for suits and costs, which
is caused partly by the expense of
the "chain gang" suits the city has
on its hands by the wholesale, and
which it has made no effort what-
ever to avoid.

It is the present intention of the
city to establish an auxiliary fire
station with three men in Mechan-
icsburg.

The agreement of the conference
last night is not conclusive. Should
the deadlock in the board of alder-
men be broken at the next meeting,
or soon, committees could be ap-
pointed and there would then be a
joint finance committee, to which
the apportionment could be referred.
Should the above apportionment be
satisfactory to them, they could re-
port the ordinance as above outlin-
ed, and the two boards could then
vote on the ordinance. The boards
have to pass the apportionment or-
dinance as any other, however, hence
the work done last night is only pre-
liminary work.

It is impossible to determine what
the tax rate will be until the su-
pervisors of the city tax books have
completed their work and it is
known what the total valuation and
assessment of property for taxation
for city purposes amounts to.

RIVER ON RAMPAGE.

Crest of Rise Broke An Ice Gorge
Near Frenchtown.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 13.—The
licking river went on a rampage
when the crest of a rapid rise reach-
ed "The Rifles" above Frenchtown,
and broke the ice gorge there. It
came with a one foot crest rise,
bringing the heavy ice off the farms
above, but the precautions taken by
those having barges and property
afloat and on the edge of the stream
at Covington and Newport, saved
the crafts tied up where the river
empties into the Ohio. The flood,
however, did little damage.

Cockrell Nominated.

Jefferson City, Jan. 13.—At the
democratic legislative caucus Sen-
ator Cockrell was nominated to suc-
ceed himself. The legislature is re-
publican on joint ballot.

SOME BARGAINS IN BLANKETS AND COMFORTS

That Will Look Good to You This Cold Weather

10	PAIR BLANKETS, regular price \$4.50. NOW	\$3.75
10	PAIR BLANKETS, regular price \$3.50. NOW	\$2.98
18	PAIR BLANKETS, regular price \$3.25. NOW	\$2.75
40	PAIR COTTON BLANKETS regular price \$1.25. NOW	90c
One Lot	Comforts, 2 1/2 yards square, Regular \$3.25. NOW	\$2.98
One Lot	Comforts, 2 1/2 x 2 1/2 yards, Regular \$3.25. NOW	\$2.49
Fifteen	Comforts, 2 x 2 1/2 yards, Regular \$2.25. NOW	\$1.98
One Lot	Comforts, 70 x 70 inches Regular \$2.00. NOW	\$1.49

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Naval Oranges, extra large, per doz, as long as they last	23c
Lemons, per doz	10c
Choice Ginger Snaps, per pound	5c
1500 Matches for	10c
10 Bars Santa Claus Soap only	25c

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In order to keep our Dressmaking Department busy and to cut out our stock we make the following offer, beginning Friday, 13th, and continuing for ten days:

All Dress Goods at \$1.50 and over, separate skirts, made for.....	\$2.50
This includes making Taffeta lining when necessary.	
Black and colored wool dresses costing \$1.50 per yard or over, are made with silk lining if necessary, for.....	\$3.95
Black and white Jetted Net Dresses, with silk lining, made for.....	\$3.95
Black or colored Silk Dresses, costing \$1.50 per yard or up, made with silk lining if necessary, for.....	\$3.95

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—Telephone your kindling-wood orders to any of the Biederman stores.

—For Dr. Pendley ring 416.

—Sign and carriage painting. G. R. Sexton, both phones, 401.

—Miss Gussie Smith, stenographer and notary public, 118 South Fourth street.

—For the cleanest and best coal in the city phone 339, Bradley Brothers.

—The Red Men who returned yesterday from Golconda are laud in their praises of the hospitality of the Golconda people. The Kentuckians were royally treated by their neighbors.

—A complete line of blank books, typewriting and carbon paper. Everything needed in the office and the very best, at R. D. Clements & Co.

—Work has been resumed on the storm water sewerage on lower Kentucky avenue.

—Call Palmer Transfer Co. for carriages, baggage wagons and first-class livery rigs. Hack fares and trunks strictly cash. Best service in the city.

—Repairs on the bridge over Clark's river at Said road have been about completed. Some of the piling sank in the soft river bottom.

—Kindly 'phone 358 every time you miss your paper, or there are any delays in its delivery.

—For the cleanest and best coal in the city phone 339, Bradley Brothers.

—A strange white man attempted to break into the home of Mr. Joe Lambert, the lumber inspector, near Second and Jackson, yesterday morning shortly after midnight, but failed as Mrs. Lambert held the door so firmly it was broken from its hinges and her daughter having telephoned the police, the man heard and ran away.

—Mr. F. W. Katterjohn, who had started to Panama canal, has wired from New York that he is waiting there to hear from Engineer Wallace, as he heard yellow fever had appeared in the canal zone, and he desires to know whether or not it is safe to go now.

—The exhibition of billiard playing at the Chess, Checker and Whist

DAY'S COLD CURE

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club, given last night by Mr. Lloyd Jenne, of Chicago, champion three-cushioned shot of the world, was witnessed by a large crowd and was one of the most remarkable ever seen in Paducah. He will be here for several days.

Nice bananas 7 1-2 cents per dozen at Englert & Bryant's tomorrow.

—Subscribers will favor us if they will report any delays or failures in the delivery of their papers. Kindly 'Phone 358 every time you miss your paper.

Pride of the Prairie corn per can 5 cents at Englert & Bryant's tomorrow.

—The trial of the boys claiming to be from Louisville, who broke into a box car near Princeton, was yesterday continued at Princeton.

—Extra fine fat, fresh Baltimore oysters at Kameliter's.

—Bud Allen, the negro arrested here yesterday for jumping a bond at Brookport, Ill., was taken back yesterday afternoon by Mr. Rogers, the man who was on his bond.

Table peaches per can 12 1-2 cents at Englert & Bryant's tomorrow.

—The new storehouse at the county jail, built in place of the one recently burned, has been completed. Jailer Jones now has but sixteen prisoners.

High grade corn 10 cents per can at Englert & Bryant's tomorrow.

—Mr. J. Mason Brown, a prominent resident of Clinton, Ky., and father of Pallas Brown, the violinist, died at Clinton a few days ago and was buried there. The deceased was a cousin of Mr. Clyde Cooper, of South Ninth street, Paducah.

Pure Maple syrup 35 cents per quart at Englert & Bryant's tomorrow.

—Mr. Sam Brame, of the local Western Union, has gone to Hopkinsville, Ky., to attend the funeral of Mr. Warren Campbell, his foster brother. The deceased was killed in a wreck in Mexico by his engine turning over on him.

—The members of the police department have been measured up for new uniforms to be delivered to them April 1st, by a Chicago establishment. The uniforms are to be regulation blue, but for summer wear.

—The New Richmond Hotel which was last week quarantined because of smallpox does not seem to be affected and business is improving. Yesterday and last night there were 21 transients.

Pie peaches per can 8 1-3 cents at Englert & Bryant's tomorrow.

—The mercury went to 22 degrees last night, but rose higher along towards daylight, a snow storm swooping down about 7 o'clock.

—Fred Merry, white, was arrested this morning for striking Isaac Merton.

—Col. Bud Dale had thirty-five transient guests at the New Richmond hotel today.

Notice to Milk Dealers.

Renewal permits should be obtained at once. Permits are required of all milk dealers, in order to deliver milk in the city the permit must be obtained during the month of January. First the license should be procured, then on presentation of the license to the milk inspector, the permit will be given.

C. G. WARNER,
M. and M. Inspector.

Died of Fever.

Beatrice, the infant daughter of H. Kaylor, of 339 Ashbrook avenue, died today of fever. No funeral arrangements have yet been made.

Mr. Clarence Martin, of Greenville, was here today on business.

Social Notes and About People.

Rustic Dance.

The Misses Decker will entertain with a dance this evening in farewell to their old home on North Seventh street, which has been the scene of so many pleasant social occasions. It will be a "Rustic Dance" and quite original in its effect and setting. The guests are all expected to appear in rustic costume.

The Deckers moved yesterday into their handsome new home on Jefferson street, beyond Ninth.

Golden Wedding of Distinguished Henderson Couple.

Invitations have been received here to the fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Clay Dallam on Tuesday, the 17th, at 4 o'clock, at their home 205 Elm St., Henderson, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Dallam are the parents of Mrs. Muscoe Burnett of this city and have a host of friends here to give them all good wishes for their golden wedding celebration.

Pleasant Party.

Miss Annie Sands gave a reception last night at her home on Harris street in honor of Miss Minnie Talley of the South Side. An enjoyable evening was spent and delightful refreshments were served. Those present were: Misses Minnie Talley, Annie Sands, Linnie Stevenson, Mollie Thurman, Mary Wilson, Elizabeth Sands, Messrs. R. J. Wagner, Malcom Greenleaf, Allie McGarvey, Harry Horton, Polk Graves and Chas. Greer.

Mrs. William Marble has returned from Princeton where she had been visiting.

Miss Hallie Hisey will return this week from Lawrenceburg, where she had been visiting.

Mrs. Harry Tandy and little daughter have returned to Frank-

HABITS CHAIN.

Certain Habits Unconsciously Formed and Hard to Break.

An ingenious philosopher estimates that the amount of will power necessary to break a life-long habit would, if it could be transformed, lift a weight of many tons.

It sometimes requires a higher degree of heroism to break the chains of a pernicious habit than to lead a forlorn hope in a bloody battle. A lady writes from an Indiana town:

"From my earliest childhood I was a lover of coffee. Before I was out of my teens I was a miserable dyspeptic, suffering terribly at times with my stomach."

"I was convinced that it was coffee that was causing the trouble and yet I could not deny myself a cup for breakfast. At the age of 36 I was in very poor health, indeed. My sister told me I was in danger of becoming a coffee drunkard."

"But I never could give up drinking coffee for breakfast although it kept me constantly ill, until I tried Postum. I learned to make it properly according to directions, and now we can hardly do without Postum for breakfast, and care nothing at all for coffee."

"I am no longer troubled with dyspepsia, do not have spells of suffering with my stomach that used to trouble me so when I drank coffee."

Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Look in each package for the famous little book "The Road to Wellville."

fort after visiting here.

Mr. Ike Anderson has returned from Texas to reside here.

Mr. Ed Willett, who is a candidate for county assessor, has been in the city all week attending the meetings of the board of supervisors' sessions.

Mrs. Edward Brooks, of Earlington, Ky., has returned after a visit to Miss Suzanne Jorgenson.

Dr. P. H. Stewart left this morning for Bellbuckle, Tenn., college to attend his son, Herbert, attending school there, and who is suffering from an attack of asthma.

Miss Bruce Wearan is in Cairo visiting her brothers, Messrs. Harris and George Wearan.

Mrs. A. B. Brown and child are visiting in Nashville, Tenn.

Engineer Frank Harris, who is running in the west, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Harris, of South Fifth street.

Miss Minnie Johnson, of Fulton, has returned home after visiting her sister, Mrs. Benton Shelton.

Mr. J. M. Franklin, of Elkton, Ky., is visiting his sister, Mrs. C. A. Lewis.

Mrs. Peter Davis and daughter, Suzanne, of Earlington, Ky., have arrived to visit Mrs. Allen Jorgenson, of North Seventh street.

Mrs. Sue Evans, of Sherman, Texas, will arrive Monday from Union City, Tenn., to visit the family of Mr. C. A. Evans near the city.

Attorney A. House, of Wyenne, Ark., has returned home after visiting Mr. W. H. Tucker.

Mrs. Henry Rehkopf and children of Memphis, Tenn., have returned home after visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. Rehkopf.

Mr. Ollie Allard will tomorrow return to New York after a several weeks visit to his mother, Mrs. Fannie Allard.

Dr. Horatio Reed and wife have returned from a visit to Dr. Reed's former home, Franklin, Ky.

Mr. Lee Nance, Jr., who has been working for the American Express Co., in St. Louis, will arrive in the city this week to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Nance.

Col. Dick Morrow and wife, of Danville, Tenn., are guests of Col. Bud Dale at the New Richmond.

Mr. Farrer Winchester has returned from Osceola, Ark., where he had been visiting ten days.

FUNDS EXHAUSTED.

No New Rural Free Delivery Routes Will Be Established For a Time.

Washington, Jan. 13.—The funds available under the current appropriation for the establishment of rural free delivery postal service have been exhausted and the postoffice department expects to discontinue at the end of this week the establishment of new routes during the remainder of the present fiscal year, unless an emergency appropriation that has been asked for is provided by congress. There are about 4,000 applications for new rural free delivery routes that have not yet been examined into. The discontinuance will not affect rural service already in operation.

SELLS-FORPAUGH SHOW.

James A. Bailey Bought it at Public Auction for \$150,000.

Columbus, O., Jan. 13.—James A. Bailey, fourth owner of the Sells-Forepaugh shows today, bought the entire show at public auction for \$150,000.

Nearly every showman in the country was present at the sale.

MCUE FAINTED.

Supreme Court Refuses to Grant a Writ of Error.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 13.—The supreme court of appeals today refused a writ of error in the case of ex-Mayor McCue of Charlottesville, convicted of wife murder and sentenced to hang the 20th of this month.

A Charlottesville special says that when the news of the action of the supreme court in denying a writ of error was conveyed to McCue he fainted.

BIG HAUL.

Burglars Blew Vault in Ohio Court House.

Wauseon, O., Jan. 13.—The vault in the county treasury in the court house was blown by four burglars early this morning, and between five and ten thousand dollars secured. So heavy was the charge of dynamite that the vault and safe resembled a pile of junk. The robbers escaped in a sleigh and buggy.

Petition in Bankruptcy.

Elias Hopkins, of Dexter, Ky., today filed a petition in bankruptcy, giving liabilities to the amount of \$668 with no assets. He owes people in Calloway county principal.

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WOOD—Stove and heating wood delivered promptly. Old phone, 1178.

WANTED—Good colored waiter. Apply I. C. Lunch Stand, Union Depot.

MIRRORS REPLATED at Brooks Bros., 221 Kentucky avenue. Old phone 312 red.

WANTED—Four girls. Apply New City Steam Laundry, 121 Broadway.

CHERRY'S Cough Cure relieves croup, cures coughs and colds. Gardner's Drug Store.

WANTED—Two or three unfurnished rooms with board for family of three. Address A. M.

GARDNER'S Drug Store can fill your prescriptions and receipts with the best material. Phone 222.

FANNIE AVANT—716 S. Sixth Shampooing, Scalp Massage, Manicuring. Phone 1678.

FOR RENT—Nine room house on North Seventh, near Boyd. The Holland property. Apply to F. M. Fisher.

Whittemore Real Estate Free Price List. Insurance. Notary Public. Fraternity Building. 'Phones 835.

FOR RENT—10-room house, 310 North Ninth. All modern improvements. After Feb. 1st. Apply O. L. Gregory.

FOR SALE—Two paid up contracts in The People's Home Purchasing Co., for \$1000 each for \$100. L. E. Kelly, 903 North Sixth.

LOST—Gold cross. Rather large. Old-time carving on front. Return to this office and receive reward. R. H. J.

WANTED—Some one to take charge of boarding house and buy fixtures. Have seven good, paying boarders. Address A. D. T. Care The Sun office.

FOR RENT OR LEASE—A small farm about one mile from the city, with about 30 or 40 acres land. Possession given at once. Apply or write to Jake Biederman Gro. Co., Paducah, Ky.

THE MICHIGAN MUTUAL LIFE Insurance Co. is the only old line company that writes policies for men and women on monthly payments from one dollar up. Call at 210 Broadway for particulars. Reuben Kowland, District Manager.

WANTED—Horses and mules. We will be at Jas. A. Glauber's stable, cor. Third and Washington streets, Jan. 13th and 14th, to buy horses and mules, 15 to 16 hands high, 3 to 10 years old. Must be sound and in good order. Layne & Leavelle.

Who Collects Your Rents? T. C. Sanders Real Estate Agency pays especial attention to collection of rents. Prompt settlements made monthly. Office, Trueheart Bldg., room, No. 12; old 'phone 199.

With the Sick. Mr. J. B. Munsey, the barber, is ill of erysipelas at his home, 217 North Fifth street.

Miss Jennie Anderson, of Memphis, is visiting Mrs. P. E. Stutz.

HART KUTS

The Price On

Coal Heaters

The next 90 days will be very, very cold. HART gives you a chance to have a nice warm home during this severe cold weather with a very small expenditure for a HEATER THAT HEATS WITH LITTLE FUEL.

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PRICES 10c, 20c, 30c

Ladies free Monday evening usual conditions up to 5 p. m.

Seats on sale SATURDAY 10 a. m.

Sent to Illinois.

The widow and her two children who were penniless and without and went to Will Greek's hotel on Lower Kentucky avenue, have been returned home to Illinois by Chief Collins. Greek gave them a home for four or five days until the authorities could return them home.

Water Notice.

Patrons of the water company are reminded that their rents expired December 31st. Those who desire to renew them should do so before it is forgotten, as all premises not paid for on or before January 10th will be shut off.

Coldest in Six Years.

Ft. Worth, Tex., Jan. 13.—The blizzard weather continues in Texas and is the coldest in six years. Much suffering prevails and range stock is badly affected.

Comb and Brush Sets

In Silver, Stag
Horn and Ebony

Traveling Sets from \$1.00 to \$25.00.

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HAPPY HOOLIGAN

The funniest of all stage characters

The Brightest, Breeziest and Most Entertaining Performance

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AMERICA'S MOST CHARMING COMEDienne

In Winston Churchill's own dramatization of his own famous novel of Love and War

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4th Successful Season

A GREAT CAST

Special Prices:

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Usual Gallery.

SEATS ON SALE TUESDAY 10 A. M.

DRS. STAMPER BROS.

DENTISTS

Over Lender & Lydon's
309 Broadway.

Death of a Child.

Wilford, the three year old son of Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Hunt, of Mayfield, Ky., died there yesterday of scarlet fever after a week's illness. The child's parents are well known in Paducah, Mrs. Hunt formerly being Miss May Wilford.

Keep your feet warm with one of our HOT WATER BOTTLES. Every one guaranteed absolutely Leak-proof.

DUBOIS, KOLB & Co.
PHONE 18.

GRAY HAIR RESTORED BY Walnut Hair Stain

Restores gray streaked or bleached hair or beard instantaneously and with no evil effect. A stain, not a dye—purely vegetable. Gives any shade from light brown to black. Very rich and does not wash or rub off. Contains no poisons, is not sticky or greasy. Price 60c. All Druggists.

Trial bottle sent free on receipt of this advertisement and 4c. postage by The Pacific Trading Co., St. Louis, Mo. For Sale and Guaranteed by W. B. McPHERSON, Druggist.

Much Excitement Occurred in the City

Much excitement occurred yesterday afternoon about 4:30 over L. M. Stephon & Co.'s new line of RUBBER GOODS.

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L. M. STEPHON & CO.
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Ninth and Kentucky Ave.
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Hand Loaded Shells

We are loading Shells by hand, thus assuring you of the very best quality. Try them once and you will have no other.

H. G. THOMPSON
Successor to Soule's Drug Store.
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Men who have an evil habit to hide generally cache it away in an incubator.



Sweet and Clean Will Be Your Washing If You Send It To The Home Laundry

We beg to call your attention to our "Family Wash Department." Every article is laundered as carefully as though you superintended same. All underwear, colored goods and fine fabrics are carefully washed and ironed by hand. We feel confident that we can please you in this work and respectfully solicit your patronage.

THE HOME LAUNDRY
131-133 SOUTH THIRD.

MANY COMING

JANUARY IS A RECORD BREAKER AT ELLIS ISLAND.

Over Fourteen Thousand Have Already Come in Since the New Year.

New York, Jan. 13.—Official records at Ellis Island show that for the first month of the new year, immigration to this country is likely to exceed all records.

From the first to the tenth of January arrivals number over 14,000. For the whole month of January, 1904, arrivals were only 19,000.

Deportations for the same period are also record-breaking. For the first ten days of the new year 478 persons have been deported from Ellis Island, against 70 for the same period of time in 1904.

Of the arrivals during this ten-day period 9,185 were Hebrews. Of the deportations 65 per cent were Hebrews.

Arrivals of Russian and Hungarian Hebrews in such large numbers is largely due to aversion to serving in the army in Russia. There are also two large Hebrew societies in Europe systematically organized to assist immigrants to come to this country. The large number of deportations is due to the fact that immigration officials have knowledge of these societies and are trying to break up the practice.

Rev. Carlisle P. B. Martin, L. L. D. Of Waverly, Texas, writes: "Of a morning, when first arising, I often find a troublesome collection of phlegm, which produces a cough and is very hard to dislodge; but a small quantity of Ballard's Horehound Syrup will at once dislodge it, and the trouble is over. I know of no medicine that is equal to it, and it is so pleasant to take. I can most cordially recommend it to all persons needing a medicine for throat or lung trouble." 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by DuBois, Kolb & Co.

TOWHEAD SUIT.

Mrs. McCormick Loses in Wickliffe Court.

Mrs. S. A. McCormick is the defendant in the lawsuit over the island towhead in the Ohio river opposite Mound City, which was adjudicated in the circuit court at Wickliffe, Ky., last Monday.

Judge Bugg decided the case against her but she has taken an appeal.

Albuquerque, N. M.—A negro cook at Deming was shot by a posse for an attempted assault upon a white woman.

CATARH OF THE STOMACH.

A Pleasant, Simple, But Safe and Effectual Cure for it.

Catarh of the stomach has long been considered the next thing to incurable. The usual symptoms are a full or bloating sensation after eating, accompanied sometimes with sour or watery risings, a formation of gases, causing pressure on the heart and lungs and difficult breathing, headaches, fickle appetite, nervousness and a general played out, languid feeling.

There is often a foul taste in the mouth, coated tongue and if the interior of the stomach could be seen it would show a slimy, inflamed condition.

The cure of this common and obstinate trouble is found in a treatment which causes the food to be readily, thoroughly digested before it has time to ferment and irritate the delicate mucous surfaces of the stomach. To secure a prompt and healthy digestion is the one necessary thing to do and when normal digestion is secured the catarrhal condition will have disappeared.

According to Dr. Harlanston, the safest and best treatment is to use after each meal a tablet, composed of Diastase, Aseptic Pepsin, a little Nux, Golden Seal and fruit acids. These tablets can now be found at all drugstores under the name of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets and not being a patent medicine can be used with perfect safety and assurance that healthy appetite and thorough digestion will follow their regular use after meals.

Mr. R. S. Workman, Chicago, Ill., writes: "Catarrh is a local condition resulting from a neglected cold in the head, whereby the lining membrane of the nose becomes inflamed and the poisonous discharge therefrom passing backward into the throat reaches the stomach, this producing catarrh of the stomach. Medical authorities prescribed for me for three years for catarrh of stomach without cure, but today I am the happiest of men after using only one box of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I cannot find appropriate words to express my good feeling. I have found flesh, appetite and sound rest from their use."

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is the safest preparation as well as the simplest and most convenient remedy for any form of indigestion, Catarrh of Stomach, biliousness, sour stomach, heart burn and bloating after meals.

A SOMERSAULT

Turned by an Engine and Two Cars.

Engine 85 and two cars were ditched at Hsley yesterday and the wrecker had to be sent from Iron Ore Hill to work the wreck.

The engine careened and fell over on its side and the two cars were turned completely over. No one was injured, the crew jumping when the derailment occurred. The train was in charge of Conductor Elbridge and was a mine run train.

MR. McCOURT

Arrived Today On a Business Trip. Mr. H. McCourt, assistant superintendent of southern lines of the I. C., arrived in Paducah this morning from Fulton and was sidetracked at the dispatcher's office at Eleventh and Broadway.

He will remain here until this afternoon when he will probably proceed east to Louisville. Mr. McCourt is simply on a regular business trip and it is said his visit has no special meaning.

Cured Lumbago.

A. B. Canman, Chicago, writes March 4, 1903: "Having been troubled with Lumbago at different times, and tried one physician after another; then different ointments and liniments, gave it up altogether. So I tried once more, and got a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment, which gave me almost instant relief. I can cheerfully recommend it, and will add my name to your list of former sufferers." 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by DuBois, Kolb & Co.

His Brother Known Here.

Mr. J. Atwood Bowman, whose death by drowning at Milton, Ky., was printed yesterday in a dispatch to the Sun, was a brother to Mr. Hite D. Bowman, the well-known coffee drummer who often comes to Paducah.

Subscribe for The Sun.

Fresh Horehound Drops

—AT—

Sleeth's Drug Store

Ninth and B'way. Phones 208

FOUR CLUB LEAGUE PROPOSED BY CAIRO

It Would Make the Rivalry Keener all Around.

It Would Restrict the League to Paying Cities and Give Clubs a Better Chance at Each Other.

CAIRO IS IN FAVOR OF THE PLAN

Cairo fans, according to the Bulletin, are in favor of a four-club league this season, as it would shut out those towns that are non-supporting, and at the same time be better for the league because it would promote rivalry between the remaining cities, and bring the clubs together oftener. Says the Bulletin: "The suggestion that Cairo, Paducah, Vincennes and Owensboro form a four-club league, has taken like wild fire with the local fans, while all are unanimous in standing by the local association to sever all connection with the Kitty league if the constitution is not amended providing Clarksville, Hopkinsville and Henderson are members."

"The fans are heart and soul with the idea of a four-club league consisting of the four cities first mentioned under the constitution as it now stands."

"They reason rightly that a four-club league of these four good cities will cause each team to make a complete circuit of the league twice each month affording them an opportunity to become better acquainted with the individual members of the visiting teams."

"They also reason that the secret of attendance in a minor league is based upon rivalry existing among the teams and the oftener they meet the greater the rivalry. This is unquestionably true, particularly so when applied to Cairo and Paducah—the more frequent these two teams meet the greater the rivalry and larger the attendance. The same condition will exist as regards Vincennes and Owensboro, two cities almost geographically situated the same as Cairo and Paducah—and then there will be that great rivalry between the eastern end of the circuit and the western."

"There are many other features that are favorable to a four-club league one being the expense incurred both for scorers and umpires. In case one of the quartette falters and falls by the wayside its guarantee of \$400 can be used in transporting the entire team to another adjacent city at either end and the money used as a subsidy for there is no city but what will take a team already assembled backed up by a \$400 bonus. "In any event Cairo refuses to longer assist in conjunction with Paducah and Vincennes in sustaining through a third year cities in which the fans have proved that they can not or will not support their home teams."

THE N. C. & ST. L.

Road Declared a Dividend of Two and One-Half Per Cent.

The directors of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. Louis Railway company held their first quarterly meeting in 1905 in the office of President J. W. Thomas, at Nashville, and declared a semi-annual dividend of 2 1/2 per cent. An annual dividend of 5 per cent, was decided on, which is one per cent, more than last year's dividend. None of the New York members of the board attended the meeting, but there was a full attendance of the local members. Milton H. Smith, president of the Louisville & Nashville, was present.

The dividend declared is the largest in several years. The earnings of the road have been turned into the surplus fund for improvements up till last year, when the first dividend at 4 per cent, was declared.

GOES TO MAYFIELD.

Mr. Dan Willis to Have Charge of Mayfield Office.

Mr. Dan Willis, of Paducah, according to the Mayfield Monitor, is to take charge of the Singer office there.

Says the Monitor: "Mr. O. W. Sullivan, who has been local manager of the Singer Manufacturing Co. in this city, has been relieved and together with Mr. J. T. Lee, who was recently sent here by the company from Columbus, Ky., will go to Hopkinsville Saturday. Mr. Dan Willis, of Paducah, will take charge of this office."



Commencing Saturday

We will give a Discount of

25 PER CENT

On every Suit and Overcoat in the house

M. SCHWAB

The Clothier. 216 Broadway

A HOODOO DAY.

This is One of the Only Two in the Present Year.

This is Friday, January 13,—according to the superstitious a very bad combination, being both hangman's day and the 13th of the month.

The only other "hoodoo day" this year is in October. Last year there were several.

Today many of the superstitious have been unusually cautious.

"Dis am shorely a bad day and I ain't gwine ter get in no box car's way, I ain't," one big colored brakeman declared as he prepared a draw head for coupling and stepped back about fifteen feet from the rails. "I've gwine ter give dese engines and cars all de room dey wants."

Many boys, realizing the possibilities of fun in working hoodoos on the superstitious are carrying rabbit feet about trying to rub them on people.

HARD FALL.

But Dr. Brooks Was Soon On His Feet Again Unhurt.

Dr. J. G. Brooks had a bad fall this morning on Jefferson street near Seventh, as a "Friday the 13th" souvenir, but fortunately escaped injury other than a few bruises.

He was going to the bedside of Mr. H. C. Allison and the snow had covered the pavements. Dr. Brooks struck a slick place and his feet slipped out from under him, precipitating him to the pavement. The fall was hard and Dr. Brooks received a severe jar, and a few bruises, but was not disabled.

Paducah Gets Run.

Frank Jones, of Paducah, who has been a substitute under the local office of the railway mail service, has been appointed a clerk in the railway postoffice between Macey, Ky., and Clarksville, Tenn., under Chief Clerk Bournes, in Memphis.—Louisville Times.

EDGAR W. WHITEMORE

REAL ESTATE AGENCY

PAID UP REAL ESTATE
WESTERN KENTUCKY FARMS
SOLD—BOUGHT—EXCHANGED—CARED FOR

CAN WE DO YOUR REAL ESTATE BUSINESS?
I would be glad to give you a full and complete statement of my business and the results of my work.

216 BROADWAY. PADUCAH, KY.

New 72-Hour Train To California



In addition to the Golden State Limited, a new fast daily train to California will be placed in service December 25 by the Rock Island, running via El Paso—the warmest winter route.

Leaves Chicago 8:40 a. m.; arrives Los Angeles 6:30 a. m. third morning.

Less Than 72 Hours.

Connecting train leaves St. Louis 8:32 a. m. Standard and tourist Pullmans, chair cars and dining cars through to Los Angeles and San Francisco.

For particulars cut out this advertisement, fill out spaces below, and mail to H. I. McGinnis, District Passenger Agent, 38 E. 4th Street, Cincinnati, O.

Please send me rates of fare and time tables—also your illustrated California book, and full information about your new service.

Name _____
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GOT PARDON.

Convict Who For 17 Years Refused Work, at Last Released.

Austin, Tex., Jan. 13.—Gov. Lammam has granted Henry Toumlin, a life term convict, an unconditional pardon. Toumlin is one of the most remarkable men who ever entered the Texas prison. When he began his sentence seventeen years ago he declared that he would die before he would do any work. He said that he owed the state nothing and that he was not going to pay the state anything.

When he refused to perform the task assigned to him he was punished in all the ways that the prison authorities could devise. For two years he was confined in the solitary cell and fed only that which was necessary to keep him alive, and times innumerable he was whipped, but through it all he refused to work. He was told that if he would but shell an ear of corn his pardon would be recommended. He refused.

In other respects he was a model prisoner. When the governor's pardon arrived at the prison, the keeper told Toumlin that his freedom was at hand if he would but work for ten minutes. He refused. The pardon was then handed him. He was over-

come with joy. He says that he will go to work, now that his freedom is at hand.

Jack Chinn Now "Totes a Gun."

Harrodsburg, Ky., Jan. 13.—Col. Jack Chinn, the noted Kentucky turkman and democratic nominee for state senator from this district, was placed under arrest here on a warrant charging him with breach of the peace and carrying a concealed weapon. Col. Chinn went into a saloon here last night, and mistaking James Renfro for another young man, began to abuse him, applying many vile epithets. Renfro struck at Chinn with his fist, with one hand in his hip pocket. Chinn struck Renfro several times and succeeded in pulling his hand from his pocket, and he did so pulled a pistol with it Chinn then whipped out a big revolver from his pocket, but bystanders interfered in time to prevent each from firing.

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IN THE COURTS

To Sue For Property.

Attorney L. K. Taylor, of Paducah, will go to Helena, Ark., in a few days to bring suit for Mrs. Turner Anderson, of Paducah, to recover a valuable piece of property now worth about \$75,000, and on which there are a number of business houses. It seems that the laws of Arkansas give a widow only a life-time interest in property left by her husband, and the property claimed by Mrs. Anderson was left by her father, and through mistake sold outright years ago by her mother, who had no right to the property except her lifetime interest. The deed is thus defective it is claimed, and Mrs. Anderson, as one of the heirs, will attempt to recover the property.

Local Option Cases.

J. T. Jenkins was yesterday before Judge Fisher, in the county court at Benton, Ky., tried for violation of the liquor laws and fined \$60. This was one of the cases growing out of the local option decision while Attorney J. C. Flournoy was special judge, every court that has since passed on the case having taken a different view of it. There are a dozen or more warrants against Jenkins and a number against R. H. Marshall and Lee Wicker, who also have a saloon at Gilbertsville. These men, or others for whom they work, presuming the Flournoy decision knocking out local option was right, proceeded to open saloons at Gilbertsville, and the prosecution followed. The Jenkins case will now be taken to the circuit court, and from there taken to the court of appeals.

Police Court.

Joe Cannon, colored, who cut Mary Belle Martin, colored, twice in the back Sunday, was held over this morning in police court. He waived examination and was committed to jail in default of bond.

Ed. Holland and Fannie Ruff, colored, charged with using profane language, were arraigned and the woman fined \$5 and costs. The case as to Holland was continued.

Jim Welch, white, for using insulting language, was fined \$5 and costs.

Charles Bates, colored, for a breach of the peace, was fined \$5 and costs. Russell Hughes, white, was fined \$5 and costs for a breach of the peace.

Must Pay Costs, Also.

The trunks of the Ezra Kendall Co. are still being held here pending the settlement of the attachment suit in Justice Barber's court.

The company sent a check for the value of the lunch sent out which the members of the company at first refused to pay for, but no court costs were sent and the trunks are still held. The only way the attachment will be discharged is by the payment of the costs in court.

Circuit Court.

This morning at 9 o'clock the case of W. H. Bailey against the Southern Foundry Co. went to the jury after four days were consumed in the hearing of the testimony and a verdict for the defendant for \$732 was rendered this afternoon. Bailey sued for \$5,500 damages for failure to deliver iron here for a government contract.

In the case of Bettie J. C. Jones against James Glauber, a verdict for the defendant was returned. She sues for \$5,000 damages for personal injuries sustained in slipping down by the livery stable of the latter. Water used in washing buggies had frozen on the pavement and she slipped up on it.

A judgment for about \$110 with interest was filed in the case of Adam Temple against T. W. Warfield and others.

County Court.

M. F. Emery to C. J. Howell, for \$1 and other considerations, property near Seventh and Jackson streets.

C. J. Howell and others to Mechanics & Farmers' bank, for \$875, property near Seventh and Jackson streets.

Lizzie Budde today qualified as administrator of the estate of the late A. G. Budde.

F. C. Boone today qualified as a notary public.

Water Famine at An End.

Buffalo, Jan. 13.—The steamer Massasoit, which two months blocked the intake pier of the waterworks, was blown to pieces with dynamite today, and the water famine is at an end.

Miners Entombed.

London, Jan. 13.—It is reported that fourteen miners are entombed in a mine in a colliery town in Wales.



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